

## AUTHORIZATION TO ACT IN A REPRESENTATIVE CAPACITY

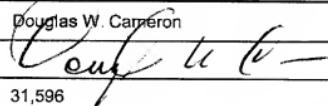
In re Application of:  
Vasanth BalaApplication No  
10/699,371Filed:  
October 31, 2003Title:  
TRANSPARENT COUPLING BETWEEN COMPATIBLE CONTAINERS  
COMMUNICATING OVER NETWORKSAttorney Docket No  
YOR920030397US1      Art Unit: 2154

The practitioner named below is authorized to conduct interviews and has the authority to bind the principal concerned. Furthermore, the practitioner is authorized to file correspondence in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.34:

Name	Registration Number
Joseph B. Ryan	37,922
Kevin M. Mason	36,597
William E. Lewis	39,274
Wayne L. Ellenbogen	43,602
Paul J. Otterstedt	37,411
Michael J. Cooper	57,749

This is not a Power of Attorney to the above-named practitioner. Accordingly, the practitioner named above does not have authority to sign a request to change the correspondence address, a request for an express abandonment, a disclaimer, a power of attorney, or other document requiring the signature of the applicant, assignee of the entire interest or an attorney of record. If appropriate, a separate Power of Attorney to the above-named practitioner should be executed and filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

## SIGNATURE of Practitioner of Record

Name	Douglas W. Cameron		
Signature		Date	01/04/08
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